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METHOD FOR MAKING AN AUTOMOTIVE

PUNCHING HEADLINER

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION/REQUIREMENT

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This is in response to the Office Action dated April 23, 2004. This response is timely because it is being filed within the one month period set for response.

In the Action, the Examiner has requested that further examination on the merits be limited to one of two following groups:

Group I

Claims 1-16

Group II

Claims 17 - 19

Group III

Claim 20

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In response, the Applicant hereby elects Group I - Claims 1-16, drawn to a method for making a punched headliner, classified in class 83, subclass 13+, for examination at this time.

This election is being made with traverse.

Respectfully submitted,

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